

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached sheets of drawings include corrections to address the content of the PTO-948. These sheets replace the previous sheets including Figures 1-9. The figures have been enlarged which resulted in the need to renumber the figures as follows: Figure 1 to 1A, 1B, and 1C; Figure 2 to 2A, 2B, and 2C; Figure 3 to 3A and 3B; Figure 4 to 4A and 4B; Figure 7 to 7A and 7B; Figure 9 to 9A, 9B, 9C, 9D, 9E, 9F and 9G.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet

 Annotated Sheet showing changes

REMARKS

As noted in the Notice of Allowance mailed July 25, 2006, the present application includes allowed claims 86 and 88 (renumbered by Examiner as claims 1 and 2). Applicant has amended the specification due to changes to correct the drawings. Applicant requests that these amendments required by the Office of Patent Publications be considered.

Specification

As a result of correcting the drawings in response to the Notice Regarding Drawings mailed September 25, 2006, Applicant has amended the specification to update the Figure numbers for the Figures which have been renumbered, as further described below. No new matter has been added by the amendments. Applicant requests that these amendments required by the Office of Patent Publications be considered.

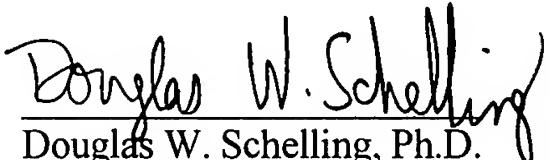
Drawings

In the Notice Regarding Drawings mailed September 25, 2006, the Office requested correction of the following: (i) views not labeled separately or properly for Figs. 1-9, (ii) lines, numbers, and letters not uniformly thick and well defined, clean, durable, and black for Figs. 1-9, (iii) numbers, letters, and reference characters must be at least 32 cm (1/8 inch) in height, and (iv) sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numbers beginning with number 1. Applicant has amended Figs. 1-9 to enlarge each figure, which resulted in the need to renumber the figures as follows: Figure 1 to 1A, 1B, and 1C; Figure 2 to 2A, 2B, and 2C; Figure 3 to 3A and 3B; Figure 4 to 4A and 4B; Figure 7 to 7A and 7B; Figure 9 to 9A, 9B, 9C, 9D, 9E, 9F and 9G. On Figures 1A, 1B, 1C, 2A, 2B, 2C, 3A, 3B, 7A, 7B, 8, 9 A, 9B, 9C, 9D, 9E, 9F and 9G, Applicant has changed the indicator of "highlighted" to "boxed." No new matter has been added

by the amendments. Also, Applicant has amended the specification to update the Figure numbers for the Figures which have been renumbered. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the objection be reconsidered and withdrawn.

Should the Examiner have any questions, he is invited to call the undersigned at 901-537-1049. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with the filing of this Response to Deposit Account 502346.

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